In re Application of:

MAHITO YOSHIOKA, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/082,156

Filed: February 26, 2002

For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

HAVING TRANSFER BIAS CONTROL FUNCTION

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Docket No. 03500.016236

Examiner: Ryan M. Gleitz

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Group Art Unit: 2852

Date: July 23, 2003

## **MAIL STOP RCE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Preliminary Amendment** in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	4	MINUS	20	0	x \$9 \$18	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	3	0	x \$42 \$84	. 0
Fee for Mult	tiple Dependent clair	ns \$140/\$28	30			
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					0	

oVerified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.



	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.
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